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from Daiquiri, Cuba, ore ; British steamship *Tolosa*, from Rio de Janeiro, with ore. April 23, British steamship *Melbrek*, from Rio de Janeiro, with ore. April 25, Norwegian steamship *Fulton*, from Baracoa, Cuba, with fruit ; Netherlands steamship, *Themisto*, from Daiquiri, with ore.

Respectfully,

WM. F. STONE,  
*Collector.*

BALTIMORE, MD., *May 3, 1902.*

SIR: I have to report the arrival of the following vessels at this port for the week ended this day: April 30, British steamship *Avonmore*, from Daiquiri, Cuba, with ore. May 1, British steamship *Manar*, from Santiago de Cuba, with ore. May 2, British steamship *Grayfield*, from Santiago de Cuba, with ore.

Respectfully,

WM. F. STONE,  
*Collector.*

#### REPORTS FROM THE MEXICAN BORDER.

*Eagle Pass, Tex., April 28, 1902—Inspection service.*—I have the honor to report the following transactions at this port for the week ended April 26, 1902: Number of trains from Mexico inspected, 8 ; number of passengers on trains from Mexico inspected and passed, 456 ; number of passengers from yellow-fever points detained, 1 ; number of trunks disinfected, 4.

B. KINSELL,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

*El Paso, Tex., April 26, 1902—Inspection service.*—I have the honor to submit herewith summary of transactions at this station for the week ended April 26, 1902. Inspection of Mexican Central Railroad passengers, 219 ; inspection of Rio Grande and Pacific Railroad passengers, 21 ; inspection of immigrants, 107 ; disinfection of soiled linen imported for laundry work, 489 pieces ; disinfection of 552 cattle hides ; vaccination of immigrants and their children, 14.

E. ALEXANDER,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

*Laredo, Tex., April 28, 1902—Inspection service.*—I have the honor to submit the following inspection report for week ended April 26, 1902: Number of passenger trains from Mexico inspected, 14 ; persons on passenger trains from Mexico inspected and passed, 577 ; immigrants inspected, 42 ; immigrants vaccinated upon entry, 6.

H. J. HAMILTON,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

#### *Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.*

ALABAMA—*Birmingham.*—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 38,415. Total number of deaths, 64, including scarlet fever, 1, and 15 from tuberculosis.

CALIFORNIA—*San Francisco.*—Month of March, 1902. Estimated population, 360,000. Total number of deaths, 640, including diphtheria, 28 ; enteric fever, 3 ; measles, 2 ; scarlet fever, 1, and 124 from tuberculosis.